

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower. Photographer Jackie Mles



Flowering stems. Photographer Jackie Mles



Line drawing. g. flowering branch. E Mayfield, National Herbarium of Victoria, ©2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board

## Common name

Lanky Goodenia

## Family

Goodeniaceae

## Where found

**Forest**, often in damper sites. Widespread south of the Hume and Sturt Highways.

## Notes

Short-lived **perennial** herb to 0.50 m high. Stems with **spreading** or **appressed simple** hairs, or hairless. Leaves in a loose basal **rosette**, mostly **alternating** up the stems, 2–9 cm long, 4–20 mm wide, tips pointed to blunt, surfaces hairy to becoming hairless, margins toothed to **entire**. Flowers 12–20 mm long, yellow, tubular, the tube split to the base, with 5 lobes, 2-lipped. Flowers on stalks 4–11 cm long, single. Flowering: mainly October–February. Seeds elliptic, 3.5 mm long, brown, **wing** about 0.2 mm wide, brownish.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lv=sp&name=Goodenia~elongata> (accessed 5 April 2021)

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